



**Great Basin Priority Summary - Based on Most Recent 209's
10/06/2020**

Priority	Unit ID	Incident	Suppression Strategy	Descriptive Location	Size	24 hr Change	% Ctn	Expected Ctn Date	Complexity / IC Name	Crews		Helicopters			Total # Persons	Critical Needs	Threats
										T-1	T-2IA or 2	T-1	T-2	T-3			
New and Emerging Initial Attack Incidents																	
	UT-ASF	Rhoades Canyon 2	Full Suppression	8 mi NW of Hanna, UT	40	New	0%	10/31/20	Type 3 IC John Rupp	0	0	2	2	1	17	T1, T2IA Crews	Structures, North Fork Duchene recreational area
	ID-SCF	Meridian	60% Monitor 40% Confine	36 mi W of Mackay, ID	225	+200	7%	10/31/20	Type 4 IC Getty	1	0	2	0	3	58	None	Timber, wildlife habitat and trail infrastructure.
Ongoing Large Fires – Prioritized for Resource Commitment																	
1	UT-ASF	East Fork (Phinney Lake)	57% Confine 43% Full Supp	13 mi. N of Hanna, UT	75,109	+520	68%	10/30/20	T2 IMT CA Team 10 Daren Dalrymple	2	4	1	3	3	342	2 T1 crews, 2 T2IA, HEBM, HLCO and Security	Moderate fire behavior in Brown Duck Basin, Round Mtn & Lake Fork Mtn. Moderate fire activity in West Fork of Rock Creek & upper Rock Creek canyon
2	NV-CCD	Baccarat	Full Suppression	6 mi NE of Stead, NV	10,500	+2500	70%	10/08/20	T3 IC Unified Command Matt Coswait Jay Cwiak	0	3	0	2	2	139	Maintain current resources and air support	Local community, infrastructures, Sage Grouse habitat, cultural resources
3	ID-STF	Badger	Full Suppression	20 mi SW of Oakley, ID	90,143	0	96%	10/15/20	Type 3 IMT Clay Stephens	1	2	1	1	1	153	IR Flight	Threats are expected to subside as crews continue to secure perimeter. Threats to cultural & natural resources, SGH.



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Evening Brief

Date: Tuesday October 6th, 2020

Weather Summary

*** Cold Front with Strong Winds, Higher RH and Precipitation by the Weekend ***

Well above normal temperatures and dry weather will continue through Friday, as an unusually strong high-pressure ridge along the West Coast continues to dominate across the entire western US. Haze/smoke from California will continue to impact Nevada and Utah occasionally.

Afternoon temperatures the next few days will continue to be 8-12 degrees above normal, along with afternoon humidity levels ranging from 6-12% across the southern half of the Great Basin, and 13-20% across most northern areas, along with moderate to poor humidity recovery across most mid-upper slopes. Occasional mild breezy winds expected at times Wed/Thu over the southern half of the Great Basin and parts of the Sierra Front. Gusts of 20-30 mph are expected in these areas.

By the weekend, southwest winds will begin to increase across the western portion of the Great Basin, as a deepening storm system is expected to approach the West Coast. Humidity will be increasing over western areas of the Great Basin as the winds increase, however drier conditions will remain in the far southern areas of Nevada, Utah, and the AZ Strip, as winds increase, where High Risk has been issued.

Precipitation will begin moving into western areas by Saturday and spread across most of the Great Basin through Sunday. The best chances of wetting rains will occur over the northern half to 2/3 of the region, especially in the higher terrain with snowfall likely. Far southern areas may see very little if any precipitation from this front.

Fuels/Fire Potential

** Fuel and Fire Behavior Advisory in Effect for Parts of ID, Eastern & Southern NV into UT ***

The continuation of above normal temperatures and very dry conditions will bring about more gradual drying of fuels across all areas of the Great Basin, including Idaho and Wyoming. Fuels in the southern half of the Great Basin are still near record level dryness. Fuels in northern areas will likely approach critical levels again by early this coming week.

Live Fuel moisture in low elevation brush remains critically dry, between 60-100% in most areas, which correlates with extreme fire behavior.

By this coming weekend, a large, long duration precipitation event across northern and central areas should bring significant and long-lasting moistening of fuels to those areas.

Preparedness Levels & Great Basin Fire Activity (from WFDSS)

Great Basin	PL 3	Light Initial Attack Activity
National	PL 4	New Fires and Acres: 4 fires for 40.4 acres / 3220 acres Large Fire Growth

Resources:

Aviation within the Great Basin

- 1 VLAT, 1 LATs, 4 CL-415
- 16 SEATs, 0 FB, 7 AA, 0 ASM, 0 LP
- 8 Type 1 Helicopters / 8 Comm.
- 6 Type 2 Helicopters / 6 Comm.
- 17 Type 3 Helicopters / 16 Comm.

Crews Committed within the Great Basin

- 4 IHCs / 0 Available
- 10 Type 2IA / 0 Available

Current Incident Details

Today's Activity (from WFDSS):

Incident Name	Unique Fire Identifier	Size	Status	Latitude	Longitude	Pt. Of Origin Sage Grouse Habitat
SHADOW LAKE	2020-UTASF-100432	0.3	Not Contained	40.62245	110.7984	NO
Bench Lake	2020-IDSTF-000373	0.1	Controlled 10/06/20	44.11012	114.9677	NO
RHOADES CYN 2	2020-UTASF-100431	40	Not Contained	40.48387	110.8967	NO
Lake Creek	2020-UTNES-201041	0.1	Not Contained	40.50324	111.3999	NO

* Fires occurred previous night, not today

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